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Arrival and Departure of Mails at the Postoffice, Oregon, Mo.

MAILS DEPART:
7:30 a. m. For Omaha and intermediate points, and all points north, east and west.
12:00 p. m. For all points north, south, east and west, except Tarkio and Villisca branches.
9:00 a. m. For St. Joseph and intermediate points.
4:25 p. m. For Villisca, north, mail to all points north, east, south and west, except intermediate between Forest City and St. Joseph.
12:45 a. m. For all points north, south, east and west. Mail made up at 8:00 p. m.

MAILS ARRIVE:
9:00 a. m. Omaha-Mails from all points, north, east, south and west.
10:30 a. m. Villisca and Tarkio Valley branches. Mails from north, east, south and west.
3:15 p. m. Main line K. C., St. Joe & C. B. Mails from all points, north, south, east and west.
6:00 p. m. From St. Joseph.
7:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 1, leaves. Returns at 2:00 p. m.
7:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 2, leaves. Returns, 2:00 p. m.
7:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 3, leaves. Returns at 2:00 p. m.
7:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 4, leaves. Returns at 2:00 p. m.
7:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 5, leaves. Returns at 2:00 p. m.
2:20 a. m. Main line, K. C., St. Joe & C. B. Mail from all points.

Mails are made up promptly 15 minutes before departing time.

Mail to Fortescue, Rulo and points on the R. & M. in Nebraska within 100 miles of this office, should be mailed before 8:45 a. m. in order to reach its destination the same day. Mails for main line of K. C., St. Joe & C. B. north and south, are made up and depart at the same time, for day trains, 12:10 p. m.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court.

Convenes first Monday in January; fourth Mondays in April and August.
William C. Ellison, circuit judge.
Geo. C. Price, prosecuting attorney.
Fred W. Cook, circuit clerk.
A. R. McNulty, sheriff.
Harry M. Irwin, stenographer.

Probate Court.

Convenes second Mondays in February, May, August and November.
Geo. W. Murphy, probate judge.

County Court.

Regular Terms: First Mondays in February, May, August and November.
Henry F. Wright, presiding judge.
George W. Cotten, judge 1st district.
Jno. H. Hunt, judge of 2d district.
Frank L. Zeller, clerk of county court.

County Board of Health.

Henry F. Wright, president.
George W. Cotten, vice-president.
Frank L. Zeller, secretary.
John H. Hunt, 2nd district.

County Board of Education.

Geo. W. Reavis, Maitland.
W. F. Galloway, Maitland City.
Mollie Palmer, Craig.

Collector of Revenue, Geo. F. Seeman.
County Treasurer, George W. Cummins.
Recorder of Deeds, John Speer.
Commissioner of Schools, Geo. W. Reavis.
Public Administrator, M. D. Walker.
Superintendent of Poor, Schourm Carson.
Surveyor, Wm. M. Morris.
Assessor, Wm. Fitzmaurice.
C. W. Wynand, Coroner, Maitland.
C. L. Evans, county physician.

Holt County population, 17,083.
Assessable wealth, \$5,524,350.
State tax, \$100,000.
County tax, 20c on \$100 valuation.
County road tax, 10c on \$100 valuation.
Average school tax levy, 4c per \$100 valuation.

County created by act of legislature, January 23, 1841.
County named for Daniel Rice Holt, of Platte County.

* Oregon, County Seat, created by act of legislature, June 21, 1841.
Population, 1,631.
Assessable wealth, \$40,140.
Electric lighted.
Waterworks system.
City tax, 75c on \$100.
School tax, 75c on \$100.

The greatest of all newspapers is the Daily Globe Democrat, of St. Louis. It has no equal or rival in all the west and ought to be in the hands of every reader of any Daily paper. It costs, by mail, postage prepaid, Daily including Sunday, one year, \$6.00; 6 months, \$3.00; 3 months, \$1.50. Daily Without Sunday, one year, \$4.00; 6 months, \$2.00; 3 months, \$1.00. Sunday Edition—a big newspaper and magazine combined, 18 to 70 pages every Sunday, one year, \$2.40; 6 months, \$1.20. A subscription for the Globe Democrat, at these prices, is the best possible newspaper investment. Send your order To-Day or write for Free Sample Copy to Globe Printing Company, St. Louis, Mo. See special offer of the "Twice-a-Week" issue of the Globe Democrat, Two Years for \$1.25, elsewhere in this paper.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN from Holt county to prepare for desirable position in Govt. Mail Service. Salary, \$800. Rapid promotion to \$1500. Splendid opportunity. Address Box One, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

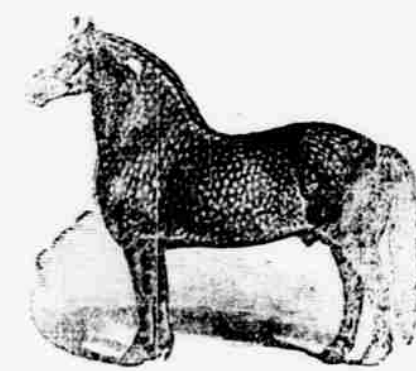
PUBLIC SALE!

We will sell at the Sale Barn of C. E. Meyer, Oregon, Mo., on

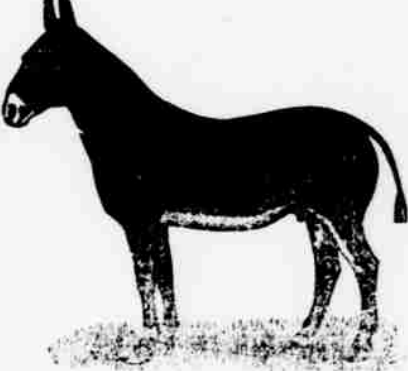
THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1908,

beginning at 12:30 o'clock, sharp, the following described property, to-wit:

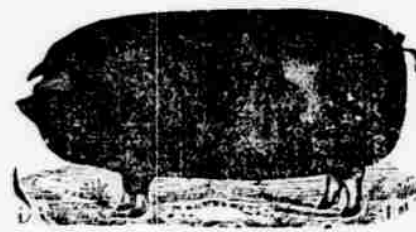
18 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES,



as follows: 1 five year old Mare, a good single driver; 1 nine year old city broke Mare, 2 Mules 12 years old, weight 2,700 pounds; 8 head 3-year old Mules, in good flesh and plenty



of size; 4 head of 4-year old Mules, broke; 1 4-year old Horse, weight 1,150 pounds, broke; 1 2-year old Horse.



HOGS.

Five Head of Brood Sows, bred; 90 Head of Stock Hogs, weight 100 pounds.

FARM IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

Two Wagons, one good as new; two Buggies, one good as new; two sets of Work Harness, one set of Single Harness Plows, Harrows, Lister and Drill, and other Tools.

TERMS:—All sums of \$20 and over, 10 months' time, on approved notes at 8 per cent. Under that amount, cash.

**WILL PATTERSON.
CHAS. MEYER.**

R. C. BENTON, Auctioneer.

CRAIG AND VICINITY.

Important Local Happenings Compiled From the Craig Leader of February 28, 1908.

—The opera house will be at once re-seated with opera chairs and warmed hereafter by baseburners. The city owned the building, which will be remodeled and enlarged this spring.

—The township teachers' institute held at this place was attended by 29 teachers. The event was such a success in point of interest and enthusiasm that it was unanimously agreed that other institutes shall follow.

—Mrs. C. E. Howe, of St. Joseph, lectured in this place last evening to the largest crowd assembled here during the year past. For nearly two hours she discussed the issue of county prohibition, which will be voted upon March 7.

—L. J. Strickler has been taken to a St. Joseph hospital, suffering with a dangerous ulceration of the glands in the right side of the neck. The ailment, which is pronounced serious, developed after Mr. Strickler had recovered from double tonsil, following a siege with the gripple.

—A \$700 trotting stallion, standard bred, Wilkes strain, belonging to Mode Morris, a few days ago suddenly sickened and died. The cause of death can only be conjectured, as a postmortem failed to disclose any abnormal conditions. The animal, which was seven years of age, took the sweepstakes prize at the Osceola, Iowa, fair five years ago as the finest two-year-old on exhibition.

—A two-days' exhibit of school work, representing all the seven rooms of the Craig public schools, has closed. The exhibit included papers, representing all the studies of all the grades, including map drawing, memory stories, paraphrasing, free hand drawing in which neither compasses nor rules were allowed, illustrated stories, elaborate diacritical markings, physiology illustrated, physics illustrated, geometry and Latin. A prize of five dollars to be expended for books for the successful room, was awarded the grammar room, taught by Mrs. J. F. McDole. The committee on award was composed of citizens, not patrons of the schools, appointed by the school board.

Mr. Bryan says his wife is qualified to become mistress of the White House. We have never understood that there was any question concerning Mrs. Bryan's fitness.

Forest City.

—Mrs. Geo. Lease is very ill with quincy.

—Mr. Willie Pearson left for Illinois, Tuesday.

—Ask John Gaemlich if he will deliver meat.

—Mrs. C. White came up from St. Joseph, Friday.

—Mrs. Edie Woods was a Forest City visitor Friday.

—Gusten McGuire is at work in Council Bluffs now.

—Harry Gelvin was a St. Joseph visitor, Saturday.

—Oscar Bullock left Tuesday for Denver, Colorado.

—Mr. Smith is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Gaemlich.

—Will Jones and wife went to St. Joseph, Saturday.

—Mrs. Jess Mills is suffering from an abscess in her head.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Summers will occupy the Kauff property.

—Dr. Ike Minton, of Fortescue, was a Forest City visitor, Friday.

—Geo. Payne, of St. Joseph, was visiting friends here Wednesday.

—Will Hill is able to be out again after a long siege of the gripple.

—Mrs. T. E. Teare and Laura Hovey were St. Joseph visitors Friday.

—Mrs. Tom Hill is now able to be out again, after several days' illness.

—Earnest Weber spent Sunday with his parents, A. G. Weber and wife.

—Miss Kreek visited at the home of Henry Boyd, last Friday and Saturday.

—Misses Grace and Gladys Quick spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in town.

—Mrs. Nell Hill, of St. Joseph, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Francis Brown.

—The lecture given by Rev. Allison, at the City Hall, Friday night, was well attended.

—John Gaemlich and his sister-in-law Mrs. Green, went to Rosendale last Saturday.

—Marvin Eader, of Troy, Kansas, came over Saturday to visit his friend, Miss Quick.

—Albert Crawford has returned from a visit to his sister, Mrs. Neil Kunkel, of Ardmore, Oklahoma.

—Bertha Anderson, the little niece of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mills, is improving from a spell of the gripple.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Walden returned

Saturday evening from Curzon, where they have been visiting his sister.

—Mrs. Mae Larkin and daughter, Charlene, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Baker.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baker are visiting friends here. Mrs. Baker is packing her goods to remove them to Clarinda, Iowa.

—Bruce Bullock is improving, after his bad accident. He is very anxious to get out again, because he has a new pair of roller skates.

—Mrs. L. Terry moved to New Point, Monday, where they will take charge of the central office the 14th inst. Mrs. Terry will also have a millinery shop.

—A surprise birthday dinner was given Judge Cotten, Saturday, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dan Jamison. Judge Cotten does not celebrate a birthday but once in four years.

Those present were, his wife, sons, Albert and Arthur, his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Quick, and family, Miss Olive Carr, and a niece of Mrs. Cotten's.

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Columbia Kicks.

Columbia University protests because Cornell has elected Miss Elizabeth Cook on the team for the annual debate between these institutions. The ground for the objection has not been made clear, although we suspect that Columbia fears the effect of Miss Cook's blandishments on the judges, as if while basking in the sphere of her radiance they might be carried away from the real merits of her disputation's effort.

Very properly Cornell refuses to recognize Columbia's protest. As a co-educational university, Cornell denies no honor to a student because that student happens to be a woman. Nor was Miss Cook placed on the team because she is a woman, but because her ability as a debater, entitled her to the recognition.

If Columbia maintains her unjustifiable attitude, Cornell should break off all further relations, athletic as well as literary, and look elsewhere for a more chivalrous opponent. So narrow a spirit as this incident implies is unworthy any American institution.

When Russia begins borrowing money, then there will be some reason to believe the rumor that she is going to fight Turkey.

—If you want the best farm paper published come in and we'll fix you up. What do you think of this—THE SENTINEL and Colman's Rural World for only \$1.75.

They Pay The Fiddler

Fourteen years in the county jail was the bunch that Judge Edison handed to John Greenelsh in the first court Monday, and to this was added a tag good for \$200 fine. Greenelsh did not sink through the floor nor fly away into space, but he acted like he had been somewhere.

Greenelsh had twenty-nine counts against him for selling whiskey illegally, and Prosecutor Dawson said that the den this man ran at Burlington Junction was one of the worst in the county, but that it was out of business temporarily at least.

Greenelsh wanted to be good and was ready to make a bargain with the court, and had the nerve to make a proposition to the effect that if the court would parole him he would go out of business and not engage in it any more. Or in other words he wanted to be hired to be good and wanted the court to hire him by giving him a parole.

But the court was not in a mood to make bargains with Greenelsh. After reviewing Greenelsh's career for some years past he handed him a fine of \$200 on one count and then added six months on all the other counts, but told Greenelsh if he would pay the \$200 and all the costs of the suit and the cost of all the twenty-eight counts on which the penalty was imprisonment he would parole him. He further informed Greenelsh that if he ever heard of him engaging in the business, or as a clerk in any saloon, drug store, wholesale house or any place where liquors were sold or handled in any form he would revoke the parole. *Meriden Tribune, Feb'y 27, 1908.*

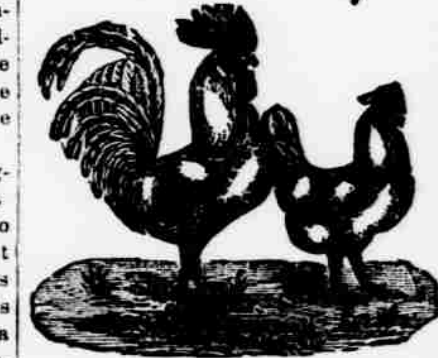
The Missouri Willow.

When the people of this country come to understand the value of the willow, every stream, rivulet, pond and lake in great old Missouri and a good many other states will have its fringe of willows. For ages the long, lithe branches of the willow have been used in making baskets and other articles of household employment, but it is the opinion of experts that the usefulness of the willow branches in this direction is now only beginning, and that in the near future many articles of use and luxury will be made from the branches, which are as easy to weave as twine, and can be made into a fabric so close as practically to be wa-e-tight.

The Missouri willow, however, has a value much greater than the industrial use mentioned; one species is cultivated throughout Europe for the medicinal qualities of its bark, and to the European basketmaker who cuts his own willows, the bark is almost as valuable as the tough. It is carefully stripped off, dried and sold to the manufacturers, who produce from it not only a medicine, but a liquid extract extremely useful in the treatment of sores, ulcers, burns and bruises. It is found in untold thousands along the Missouri bottoms of Andrew, Platte, Holt and Atchison counties, as well as on the streams in the southeastern part of the state. The Burlington uses hundreds of car loads of willows, for track protection and encroachment from the ravages of the river along its system, 300 car loads having been taken by this company from Forest City alone, during the year ending June 30, 1907.

All that is needed to propagate the tree is to cut off small branches and stick them in the moist earth on the bank. Long stretches of the Missouri Mississippi rivers might be protected and against washing simply by planting willow cuttings a foot apart on the banks. When the willows are grown, their long, matted roots resist the water as well as a stone wall would, while their branches and bark would be a source of perpetual income. A farmer in Southeast Missouri realizes \$200 a year from the willows he has planted along a stream which runs through his land, and he makes no use of the bark. While we are planting trees in our parks and along our little streams let us not forget the ornamental and useful willow.

Poultry Wanted!



Poultry wanted by the Clarinda Poultry, Butter & Egg Co., to be delivered at the store of T. E. Teare, Forest City, Mo., on

Tuesday and Wednesday, March 10th and 11th, 1908.

for which we will pay the following prices, crows to be empty.

Hens	9 c
All Young Roosters	7 c
Hen Turkeys	11 c
Tom Turkeys	10 c
Ducks, full feathered	6 c
Old Roosters, per dozen	\$2.40

Clarinda Poultry, Butter & Egg Co.

By W. E. KEENEY.

NOTICE

—OF—

LOCAL OPTION ELECTION.

Notice of a Special Election to Be Held Under the Provisions of Article 3, of Chapter 22, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899, Commonly Known as the Local Option Law, to Determine Whether or Not Spirituous and Intoxicating Liquors, Including Wine and Beer, Shall Be Sold Within the Limits of Holt County, in the State of Missouri.

Be it remembered that on the 2nd day of February, 1908, the same being the first day of the regular February term of the County Court of Holt County, Missouri, among other proceedings, a petition was filed and received by said court, signed by G. W. Gaskill, T. D. Roberts, et al, praying for a special election to be held in said county, to determine whether or not spirituous and intoxicating liquors, including wine and beer, should be sold within the limits of said county, and on the 3rd day of February, 1908, the same being the first day of the regular February term of said court, the following, among other proceedings were had and entered of record, to-wit: Now come G. W. Gaskill, T. D. Roberts, et al, and present their petition to the court, praying for a special election to be held in Holt County, Missouri, as provided by Article 3, of Chapter 22, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899, commonly known as the Local Option Law, to determine whether or not spirituous and intoxicating liquors, including wine and beer, shall be sold within the limits of said county, and the court, having seen and heard said petition and having examined the poll books of the last previous general election held in said county, and having compared the names on said poll books with the names on said petition, doth find that said petition is signed by one-tenth of the qualified voters of said county, who were qualified to vote for members of the legislature in said county at the last previous general election held therein, and that there is not any city or town in said county, at this time, having a population of twenty-five hundred inhabitants or more.

It is therefore ordered by the court, that a special election be held in said county at the usual voting precincts therein at which general elections for State officers are held, on the

7th DAY OF MARCH, 1908,

to determine whether or not spirituous and intoxicating liquors, including wine and beer, shall be sold within the limits of said county, and the tickets to be voted by the voters in said election shall have written or printed on them the words:

"AGAINST THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS."

"FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS."

"(Erase the clause you do not want.)" It is further ordered that said election shall be conducted, the returns thereof made and the result thereof ascertained and determined in accordance in all respects, with the laws of this state governing general elections for county officers, and the results thereof shall be entered upon the records of this court, and the expenses of said election shall be paid out of the county treasury, as in the case of the election of county officers. It is further ordered that the Clerk of this Court shall cause notice of said election to be published in the Holt County SENTINEL, a newspaper published in said county, and that said notice shall be published in said newspaper for four consecutive weeks, and the last issue shall be within ten days next before the day of said election.

A true copy of the record.
FRANK L. ZELLER,
Clerk of County Court of Holt County, Missouri.

STATE OF MISSOURI,

County of Holt.

I, F. L. Zeller, Clerk of the County Court, in and for said county, hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true copy of the proceedings of our said county court, on the day and year above written, as the same appears of record in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, at office in Oregon, Missouri, this 4th day of February, 1908.

FRANK L. ZELLER,
Clerk of Holt County Court.

Are You Interested in Livestock?

When The New York Tribune Association six years ago decided to establish the New York Tribune Farmer, a non political, national journal, to be devoted to every branch of agriculture and other interests of the farmer and his family in every part of the country, men of the highest authority in every branch of farm work and farm experience were consulted as to writers who services it would be most desirable to secure.

When the late Dr. J. C. Currier, of Minnesota, the author of "Horse Sense," was asked to name the best writers on horses and on veterinary practice he named only one: "Dr. C. D. Smead, living in Logan N. Y., is just the one you want if you can get him." Dr. Currier's opinion proved him as good a judge of men as of horses.

Dr. Smead undertook the work of answering not only veterinary questions, but all reasonable queries in regard to the breeding, the care and the feeding of all domestic animals; he taught how to keep them well and that beasts seldom need medicine; if properly looked after. Not the questioners alone profited by Dr. Smead's department, the value of which received immediate and extended recognition. There is a good reason for this.

Dr. Smead didn't take up his profession as an easy way of earning a living. He has been a practical farmer and livestock breeder from his youth. He loves animals and is unhappy when they suffer or fail in health, so many years ago he decided to learn how to care for and cure them; he dropped work, took a course and became a doctor himself—not for the money he might earn but for the sake of the neglected and suffering animals. And he didn't stop study when he left the school; he has studied books, reports, and, better still, the animals themselves every day since. No wonder he succeeds and is to-day, largely on account of his work in the New York Tribune Farmer, the best known veterinary surgeon in America. (The Sentinel and Tribune Farmer \$1.75.)